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| <b>APPLICANT:</b>  | James V. Young    | <p>I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the U.S. Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop AF, Commissioner for Patents, PO Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on November 1, 2005.</p> <br>Nelson D. Nolte, Reg. No. 42,938 |
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| <b>EXAMINER:</b>   | Danton D. Demille |   |
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| <b>FOR:</b>        | MASSAGE APPARATUS |   |

Commissioner of Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**  
**UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)**

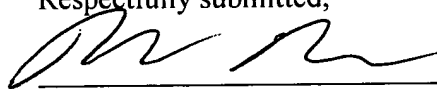
Sir:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application in response to the office action dated June 1, 2005.

Applicant requests a two-month extension. The appropriate small-entity fee is \$225.00. Applicant claims small entity status.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees that may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 162201.

Respectfully submitted,



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